

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION**

RICO ISAIH HAIRSTON,

Petitioner,

v.

MARK HOOKS,

Respondent.

**CASE NO. 2:16-CV-768
JUDGE GEORGE C. SMITH
MAGISTRATE JUDGE KEMP**

OPINION AND ORDER

On November 10, 2016, the Magistrate Judge issued a *Report and Recommendation* pursuant to Rule 4 of the Rules Governing Section 2254 Cases in the United States District Courts recommending that the instant petition for a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 be denied and that this action be dismissed. (ECF No. 7). Although the parties were advised of the right to object to the Magistrate Judge's *Report and Recommendation*, and of the consequences of failing to do so, no objections have been filed.

The *Report and Recommendation* (ECF No. 7) is **ADOPTED** and **AFFIRMED**. This action is hereby **DISMISSED**.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/ George C. Smith
**GEORGE C. SMITH, JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**